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 DIPPED CORDS USING SAME  
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Sir:

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Enclosed are:

- Specification, Claim(s), and Abstract (20 pages).
- Unexecuted Declaration and Power of Attorney (4 pages).
- Information Disclosure Statement.
- Form PTO-1449 with copies of 3 listed reference(s).
- Preliminary Amendment.

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